

# **NEWS RELEASE**

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## **FUGITIVE ARRESTED AFTER FLEEING CAR CRASH IN BEALETON**

**BEALETON** – A man wanted on charges in Virginia was apprehended after fleeing the scene of a three-car crash on Route 28/Catlett Road in Bealeton. Deputies responding to reports of the crash on Monday evening, March 2, 2020, at the intersection of Route 17/Marsh Road, received reports of a vehicle leaving the scene and then a man running on foot from the crash scene.

The man was reported to be the driver of one of the vehicles involved. The crash occurred just before 7 p.m. at the intersection in front of the Sheetz store.

Deputies were able to locate the fleeing driver and identified him as **Reginald Keith Whitley, 31, of Richmond, Virginia**. Whitley was found to be wanted on criminal charges in Loudoun County and Amelia County.

As a result of the crash investigation, Whitley is charged in Fauquier County with DUI, no valid driver's license, unreasonable refusal, open container of alcohol, two counts of felony hit and run and possession of marijuana. A magistrate held Whitley on a \$2500.00 secured bond on each charge from Loudoun and Amelia Counties and a \$25,000.00 secured bond for the Fauquier County charges.

The crash remains under investigation and no further information is available at this time.



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